IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE J.B.KOSHY

WEDNESDAY, THE 7TH FEBRUARY 2007 / 18TH MAGHA 1928

Con.Case(C).No. 17 of 2007(S)

AGAINST THE JUDGEMENT IN OP.7400/1999 Dated 21/08/2001

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PETITIONER/PETITIONER:

PATHIYAN SAMUDAYA UDHARANA SAMITHI
REPRESENTED BY ITS PRESIDENT, C.N.VELAYUDHAN,
NULPUZHA P.O., WAYANAD DIST., KERALA.

BY ADV. SRI.S.M.PRASANTH
DR.K.BALAKRISHNAN

RESPONDENTS:

DR.(SMT) VEENA CHHOTRAY,
(AGE NOT KNOWN, FATHER'S NAME NOT KNOWN TO THE
PETITIONER), SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE
AND EMPOWERMENT, SHASHTRI BHAVAN,
DR. RAJENDRA PRASAD ROAD, NEW DELHI-110 001.

BY ADDL.SOLICITOR GENERAL SRI.JOHN VARGHESE

THIS CONTEMPT OF COURT CASE (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 07/02/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

J.B.KOSHY, J.

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Dated 7th February, 2007

JUDGMENT

Petitioner belongs to `Pathiyan' Community from Wayanad District. `Pathiyan' was included in the list of Scheduled Castes. But, by Government Order dated 14.10.86 `Pathiyan' except `Wahser men' were categorized under Other Eligible Communities(OEC). The State Government took the stand that petitioner is entitled to get the benefit and State Government is also extending the benefits, but, petitioner filed Ext.P6 representation. This court directed the Central Government to dispose of the representation. Grievance of the petitioner is that the above direction is not implemented and no orders were passed. The Additional Solicitor General submitted that petitioner's caste is also included in the list of Scheduled Castes. In the above circumstances, there is no contempt. The contempt petition is closed.

J.B.KOSHY
Judge

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